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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to the examination of this application, applicants respectfully request amendment of the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-20.

Please add new claims 21-70.

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21. A vaccine composition comprising:
 - (a) a herpes simplex virus (HSV) antigen; and
 - (b) a human papillomavirus (HPV) antigenin conjunction with an adjuvant which is a preferential stimulator of TH1 cell response.
 22. A vaccine composition according to claim 21 which additionally comprises a carrier.
 23. A vaccine composition according to claim 21 in which the preferential stimulator of TH1-cell response is selected from the group of adjuvants comprising: 3D-MPL, 3D-MPL wherein the size of the particles of 3D-MPL is preferably about or less than 100nm, QS21, a mixture of QS21 and cholesterol, and a CpG oligonucleotide.